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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
TAKAHASHI SHIRASUNA) Examiner: John Juba, Jr.
Appln. No.: 09/836,372) Group Art Unit: 2872
Filed: April 18, 2001)
For: ZOOM LENS AND OPTICAL) December 4, 2002
EQUIPMENT USING SAME)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated August 6, 2002, by one month, from November 6, 2002, to December 6, 2002. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

In response to the Official Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the following paragraph for the paragraph starting at page 4, line 4 and ending at line 11. A marked-up copy of this paragraph, showing the changes made thereto is attached.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Petition for Extension of Time in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	MINUS	34	= 0	x \$ 9 \$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	7	MINUS	8	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$ 0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140/\$280						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$ 0.00

°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$____ is enclosed.

Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

- Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the Extension fee for response within one month is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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